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**** Media Advisory ****

Attorney General Terry Goddard, Pima County Sheriff Clarence Dupnik and Pima County Attorney Barbara LaWall to discuss Meth Legislation

(Tucson, Ariz. – February 14, 2005) Arizona Attorney General Terry Goddard will hold a press conference with Pima County Sheriff Clarence Dupnik and Pima County Attorney Barbara LaWall to discuss legislation aimed at combating the production and use of methamphetamines.

The goal of the legislation sponsored by Rep. Tom O'Halleran is to reduce meth cooking in Arizona, begin a coordinated education effort on the dangers of meth, and update existing laws governing environmental remediation and child abuse. Goddard is working with legislators and a broad coalition of law enforcement, children advocates, firefighters and neighborhood activists to adopt a new law to make methamphetamine production more difficult by moving chemicals used by criminals to make meth behind the pharmacy counter.

Date: Tuesday – February 15, 2005

Time: 10:00 a.m.

What: Press Conference

Where: Pima County Sheriff's Office
1750 E. Benson Highway
3rd Floor Conference Room
Tucson

Pima County Sheriff Department Contact: Deputy Dawn Barkman (520) 547-6480